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## COURTS CONVENE

Circuit Court—First Monday in February, June and October.  
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Wednesday, December 7, 1921.

Democratic National Chairman Cordell Hull has notified State Chairman N. J. Fisher that he will be in Tennessee December 28. The plan now is for the democratic leaders to have an old fashioned "blow out" in his honor, which means a get-together meeting with the purpose of formulating some plan for strengthening democratic prospects in the next gubernatorial race. Members of the state committee are expected to be called together by Chairman Fisher and then an effort will be made to set on foot plans to capture Old Limber in the race for governor next fall.

They may succeed, but they will find they have some race on their hands for Old Limber has made a reputation as a runner that gives him an enviable advantage at the starting post.

## RESCUE THE FARMERS FIRST.

The middle west is one vast farm. The cities that have grown up here were designed to facilitate the business of agriculture and the marketing of farm produce. The railroads were built with the same object. Contemplation of these facts is a good thing for dwellers in the cities and towns, who are prone to take too much credit to themselves for the development of this great region.

In these seven states of Nebraska, Iowa, Minnesota, North and South Dakota, Missouri and Kansas is contained more than a third of the farm property in the United States, measured by value. There is no need to quibble over the figure, but the estimate set by the census is \$28,000,000,000. These billions represent the stake of the middle west in prosperity. Every form of industry and business in the cities rests on this foundation.

If the farmers are prosperous, the result is quickly felt in every line. If the income from their labor and capital investment is cut down, they cease to buy, all industry slows down and unemployment covers the land like a pall. That is why today every agency, public and private, must be used to place agriculture on a paying basis. That is why the War Finance corporation and all its subsidiaries are at work to bring aid to the farmers. That is why railroad freight rates must come down. That is why business men are trying to encourage dairying. That is why the prices paid to the farmers for their products must be increased until they are on a level with the prices of things that the cities will sell to the farmers.

The middle west is one big farm, and all the hands must pitch in and mend its fences.—Omaha Bee.

Lloyd George, Premier of England, plans to sail for America Dec. 12, to attend the reduction of armaments meeting now in session at Washington. He has been detained by the Irish question.

## SHOE SHOP FOR SALE

I will sell my shoe shop at a sacrifice price, if sold before New Year. I have a complete electrical outfit, consisting of: Champion stitcher and finisher, also Singer Patching machine, Progressive Jack, gas engine and all necessary equipment. A complete stock of leather and findings. I am the sole owner of the shop. BEN FRANKLIN, Crossville, 21

## LADIES ART BAZAAR IS INTERESTING ATTRACTION

Many Tasty Pieces of Feminine Art, Splendid Lunch and Humorous Art Gallery

The art bazaar held by the ladies of the two Methodist churches and the Christian church, at the Mecca theater, brought out a jolly and good-natured crowd that taxed the building to its capacity.

The ladies had for sale a varied collection of useful and beautiful articles and a splendid lunch of sandwiches, coffee cakes and pies was served to a jolly crowd that did ample justice to the splendid viands. The only fault that could be found was that the ladies did not charge enough for their "eats" and as a result did not reap so abundant as the conditions justified.

One of the most unique and interesting features was the "Art Gallery" arranged by Mrs. E. M. Roland. It consisted of subjects that in almost every instance were a burlesque on the subject mentioned. Following are the subjects and a brief description of the manner of representation. We Part to Meet Again, pair of scissors; The Skipper's Home, a piece of cheese; A Tearful Subject, onions; The Trapper, a fine comb; The Dean Family in Oil, a can of sardines; A bust of a Boy, a pair of boy's pants burst at the seat; Travelers Around the camp, fire, several pairs of shoes around a bottle of camphor; Washington's Birthday, Feb. 22 on a card; Fair but False, a bunch of false hair; A Pair of Blue Eyes, blue eyes taken from a doll; Companions, Knife and fork; Bonaparte Crossing the Rhine, the breastbone of a chicken laying on a bacon rine; Murphy on a Bender, an Irish potato stuck on the end of a bending twig of a tree; The old Mill, an old coffee mill; They Work While We Sleep, a box of Cascarets; The cause of the Revolution, a small box of tea; The Seasons, contents of the castor; Sweethearts, picture of a lady and her beau on a paper heart; Spring, an old clock spring; The Old Woodcutter, an old axe; Glory of Our Nation, the American flag. It cost ten cents to enter this "Art Gallery" but that it was appreciated and worth the price was evidenced by the fact that more than sixty persons willingly paid the admission fee.

## SPECIAL OFFER TO OUR SUBSCRIBERS

For a limited time we will give a year's subscription to the Southern Agriculturist without charge to any subscriber, new or old, who asks for it when paying a year's subscription to the Chronicle, one year of the Agriculturist for each year paid for the Chronicle. The popularity of the Southern Agriculturist is shown by its circulation, which now exceeds 375,000.

This offer is intended for our farmer friends, who are urged to take advantage of it at once, because we have only a certain number of subscriptions which we can give free in this way. When they are used, this offer will be withdrawn. First come, first served.

## NON-RESIDENT NOTICE.

To James A. Dunn, James A. Dunn, Trustee, and W. M. Dunn, vs. W. J. Richardson

James A. Dunn et al. No. 1481.

In Chancery Court at Crossville. It appearing from the bill in this case, which is sworn to, that James A. Dunn, James A. Dunn, trustee and W. M. Dunn are justly indebted to W. J. Richardson, the complainant, and that they reside out of the State, and an attachment having been issued and levied on the defendants' property, it is ordered that publication be made for four consecutive weeks in the Crossville Chronicle requiring the said defendants to appear before said Chancery Court on or before the first Monday in February next, and make their defense to the bill filed against them in this cause, otherwise the said bill will be taken for confessed and the cause proceeded with ex parte. This December 7th, 1921.

C. G. BLACK, Clerk and Master.

"The voice of the people" is very much in need of a megaphone.—Columbia Record.

The trip to normalcy seems to involve a long stopover at subnormalcy.—Columbia Record.

The real Chinese puzzle is China.—Little Rock Arkansas Gazette.

## DID NOT SELL.

The Tennessee Central was offered for sale at Nashville Thursday, but no bidders were present and the sale was postponed until January 10.

## Capt. Peck's Weekly Talks to Farmers

By T. F. Peck, Commissioner of Agriculture

## FACTS ABOUT CORN.

For the past six weeks the Department of Agriculture has received hundreds of letters from students in the grammar and high schools of the state, asking about corn. Presuming that all read their home paper, we have prepared the following facts about corn and giving to the papers for publication.

The greatest food plant in the world is that known as American Indian Corn. In production volume it is exceeded by only one food article—potatoes.

Over 90 percent of all the corn grown in the world is grown in the United States, the production each year now averaging over 3,000,000,000 bushels. The forecast for the production of corn this year in the United States is 3,200,000,000 bushels. The production in 1920 was nearly 3,400,000,000 bushels.

Tennessee contributed to the production of corn last year about 93,000,000 bushels, and the estimate of the production this year is nearly as much. The United States Department of Agriculture and State Department of Agriculture forecasts fix the quantity this year at about 90,000,000 bu.

At one time in the history of the United States, Tennessee was the leading State in the production of corn. In 1840, according to the United States Census Bureau, this State produced more corn than any state in the Union.

After 1840, the growth and settlement of the States of the Middle West—Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska, and others—was so rapid that this State was outstripped

as a corn producing State, but its contribution now is no insignificant amount.

According to the Bureau of Crop Estimates of the United States Department of Agriculture, the production of corn by the 12 leading corn States last year, 1920, was as follows:

Iowa.....	473,800,000 bushels
Illinois.....	394,168,000 "
Nebraska.....	255,528,000 "
Missouri.....	198,880,000 "
Indiana.....	184,072,000 "
Texas.....	174,200,000 "
Ohio.....	162,099,000 "
Kansas.....	137,535,000 "
Minnesota.....	118,125,000 "
South Dakota.....	105,600,000 "
Kentucky.....	100,650,000 "
Tennessee.....	93,100,000 "

It will be seen that last year Tennessee ranked twelfth in the production of corn.

Practically all the corn produced in the United States is consumed in this country, the most of it being fed to live stock. Less than 10 percent of the crop is exported.

Other countries producing corn, in the order of volume of production, are Austria, Hungary, Argentina, Roumania, Mexico, Italy, Egypt, and Russia.

It is generally agreed by students of the question, that corn as a plant is of American origin. When Columbus discovered America in 1492, maize was in common cultivation. It at once was introduced into other parts of the world, reaching Europe, Africa, China, and Asia Minor early in the sixteenth century.

## BIGLICK

Our community had a great Thanksgiving. Every one was to bring an ear of corn as an offering toward the Near East Relief fund. The corn was sold at auction and the money added to the collection taken. We sent in, to this work of charity, \$8.00.

We had a Thanksgiving dinner served on our outside tables under the trees, all loaded with good things and our people and friends did full justice to it. After the dinner, our Ladies Aid Society held a prayer and praise meeting. They have been organized two years and in that time have done a splendid work. There are twenty-four members by paying a small sum for dues and by making and selling aprons, quilting quilts and doing anything that comes to their hands, they have raised quite a creditable sum of money, giving \$25 toward the building of our new school house, have bought oil and oiled the school house floor and lately have put in the big lamps which light the whole house. After the ladies closed their meeting the school children gave a flag drill expressing their love and reverence for "Old Glory" as a fitting close to a happy day. Geo. P. Burnett made us an address on Co-operation.

The wire has come for the fencing of our cemetery. The cemetery will be enlarged by a gift from I. L. Burgess. There will be new gates, a drive way through the grounds and the place put in order and beautified so that the resting place for our loved dead will be a comfort and pride to our community.

In spite of the bad weather we had seventy-two pupils in our Sunday school, Sunday. Our little folks are learning the primary catechism, Psalms and singing some children's songs.

The Ladies Aid Society meets Wednesday, Dec. 7, in its regular monthly meeting with Mrs. James Bradley. These aid days are happy and busy times much looked forward to by our women. This meeting is especially interesting as it is Mrs. Bradley's birthday.

Luther Kerley and family are moving into their new home this week.

Riley Burgess' new home is about finished. Now that the cage is ready we wonder where is the bird to occupy it.

Miss Della Lemmons spent Friday and Saturday of last week with her parents in Algood. While passing thru Crossville she had a pleasant visit with Mrs. John Reed.

Mrs. Taylor Coots spent several days with her father, Jas. Bradley. Our good friend and neighbor, Willie Bradley and family, spent Thanksgiving with us.

I. L. Burgess butchered 2 fine hogs each hog was estimated to weigh 600 pounds. There are some fine hogs in this section. T. L. Hale butchered one weighing 300 pounds. Snowball.

Between the demands of the unions and the Unions, employers are up against it.—Columbia Record.

## JEWETT

Mrs. Wheeler Reed spent Thanksgiving with her relatives in the Gulf. Waverly Roberts recently moved to Litton, onto Darius Lee's farm.

Dr. Miller and S.A.D. Smith spent a few days here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hinch and Mr. and Mrs. Steward Hinch spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Truman and Roy Hinch, at Chattanooga.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jewett made a business trip to Spring City last week. Dec. 3. XX.



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**MEASAMER BROTHERS**

## MERIDIAN

Miss Mae Brown and Laura Hedgecoth went to Crab Orchard Saturday. Dr. W. A. Reed and Fred McCarth, of Crossville passed through here Sunday.

Mrs. W. D. Hedgecoth, Mrs. Sarah Smith and Mrs. Mary Ray went to Crab Orchard Saturday.

Mrs. John Selby, of Biglick, spent part of last week here with her daughter, Mrs. Jessie Hedgecoth.

Mrs. Jessie Hedgecoth, Mrs. John Selby, Mrs. W. D. Hedgecoth and Mrs. Laura Hedgecoth were the guests of Nellie Hedgecoth Friday.

Miss Cora Burgess, of Crossville spent the week-end here.

Mrs. Zeam Wyatt, of Crossville, and little granddaughter, Elizabeth Rector, spent part of last week here visiting Mrs. Jessie Hedgecoth.

Garfield Hedgecoth, of Dorton, was here Saturday.

C. E. Flynn, of Flynn's Cove, was here Sunday.

Mrs. Ethel Martin and children spent part of last week in Crab Orchard visiting relatives.

Tom Randolph, of Biglick was here last week.

Misses Ruby and Pearle Hedgecoth who are going to school at Crossville, spent the week-end with home folks. Dec. 3. Vernis.

## LAND SALE.

J. W. Stone, Executor of the Estate of J. H. Adams.

vs. H. M. Hood.

No. 1461.

In Chancery court, at Crossville, Tennessee.

In obedience to a decree of the Chancery Court at Crossville, made at the August term, 1921, in the above styled case, I will, on the 31st day of December, 1921, at Crossville, in front of the Court house door, sell to the highest and best bidder the property in said decree described as 4 lots, lying and being in Crab Orchard, Cumberland county, Tennessee, and described as follows:

Lots numbers 1 and 2 in block No. 15 on Front Street and lots numbers 14 and 15 in Block No. 15 on College Street, being the same lots conveyed by Ed. Hood and wife to J. H. Adams on December 30, 1916.

## TERMS OF SALE.

Said sale will be made on six and twelve months time with two equal notes drawing interest from date of sale with approved personal security retaining a lien for the purchase money. Lots will be sold in bar of equity of redemption.

This 28th day of November, 1921 C. G. BLACK, Clerk and Commissioner.

## ADAMS FORD

Beecher Barnwell attended church at Cross Roads Saturday night.

Miss Kate Henry and Lionel Tabor drove to Crossville and were married. Their many friends in this section wish for them a long and happy wedded life.

A party was given at the home of M. L. Adams Thursday night, a very nice one was enjoyed by all present.

Miss Kate Patton, Lennis and Anna Burnett were visitors at the home of M. L. Adams Thanksgiving day.

Morris Burnett, of Peavine, was visiting with relatives here Thursday and Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. M.B. Goss, and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Adams went to Crossville Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Goss went to Genesis Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ab Norris went to Isoline Saturday.

Misses Lou and Lizzie Adams visited at the home of J. C. Adams Thanksgiving day. Dec. 3. XX.

## ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

This is to notify all creditors, that I have on this 4th day of Nov. 1921, qualified as Administrator of M. W. Morrow, deceased, and all parties holding claims against said estate are notified to file the same, properly sworn to with W. D. Hedgecoth, County Court Clerk of Cumberland County, Tennessee, as required by law on or before Nov. 5, 1922, or be forever barred.

All parties owing this estate are hereby notified to come forward and settle with me.

This November 15, 1921. J. T. MORROW, Admr. of estate of M. W. Morrow. J. R. Mitchell, Atty. 11-16-21.

TO THE CREDITORS OF ESTATE OF G. LEE NOLAND, DECEASED.

The insolvency of the estate of G. Lee Noland, Deceased, having been suggested to the Clerk of the County Court of Cumberland County, Tennessee, notice is hereby given, as required by the order of the said Clerk, to all persons having claims against said estate, to present and file the same with the Clerk of said Court at his office in Crossville, Tennessee, authenticated as required by law, on or before the first Monday in April, 1922, or be forever barred.

This November 15, 1921. EDITH E. NOLAND, Administrator. 11-16-21.